



IF YOU NO LONGER OWN YOUR VEHICLE AND ARE FILING FOR AN ABATEMENT:

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE TAXPAYER TO NOTIFY THE ASSESSOR'S OFFICE IF YOU NO LONGER OWN A VEHICLE. (THE REGISTRY OF MOTOR VEHICLES DOES NOT SUPPLY US WITH THIS INFORMATION) (You must notify the RMV within 30 days of your move)

IF FILING FOR AN ABATEMENT FOR:

RETURNED PLATES:

1. NEED COPY OF PLATE RETURN RECEIPT FROM REGISTRY OF MOTOR VEHICLES **AND:**
2. PAPERWORK SHOWING WHAT HAPPENED TO THE VEHICLE (BILL OF SALE, TRADE, JUNK YARD RECEIPT, COPY OF OUT OF STATE REGISTRATION, ETC.)

TRANSFERRED PLATES:

1. COPY OF NEW REGISTRATION SHOWING VEHICLE TRANSFER **AND:**
2. PAPERWORK SHOWING WHAT HAPPENED TO THE VEHICLE (BILL OF SALE, TRADE, JUNK YARD RECEIPT, ETC.)

BILLED IN WRONG TOWN:

1. PROOF OF RESIDENCY PRIOR TO JAN. 1 OF THE YEAR OF THE BILL. LETTER FROM INSURANCE AGENCY STATING DATE AND PLACE OF GARAGING.

****NOTE: NO ABATEMENT CAN BE GIVEN IF VEHICLE IS STILL IN OWNERS POSSESSION**

PLATES CAN BE RETURNED ON LINE AT :www.massdot.state.ma.us/rmv